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APPLICANT:
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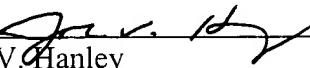
Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated August 23, 2005, rejecting each of pending claims 67-72 and 74-82. A check in the amount of \$500.00 is enclosed herewith to cover the fee for this Notice of Appeal. The Commissioner is hereby authorized, however, to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-2425. A duplicate copy of this paper has been enclosed. Additionally, a Petition For A Two Month Extension of Time is being filed concurrently herewith.

The undersigned is the attorney of record.

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